

***PATENT***

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant:	Vinod B. Shidham	Examiner:	Towa, Rene T.
Serial No.:	10/773,691	Art Unit:	3736
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Title:	<i>Needle Aspiration Biopsy Device and Method</i>		

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**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
Post Office Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313

Dear Sir:

The following is in response to the Non-Final Office Action dated July 25, 2008, regarding the above-identified application.

**Amendments to the claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.

A **Petition For Extension of Time** for two (2) months is being filed with this submission.